

JFW  
1639  
#



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Debra M. Eckert, David C. Chan, Vladimir Malashkevich,  
Peter A. Carr and Peter S. Kim

Application No.: 09/746,742                      Group: 1639  
Filed: December 21, 2000                      Examiner: B.M. Celsa  
Confirmation No.: 8580  
For: INHIBITORS OF HIV MEMBRANE FUSION

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on:	
<u>7/12/04</u> Date	<u>Carol M. Bowerman</u> Signature
<u>Carol M. Bowerman</u> Typed or printed name of person signing certificate	

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 10, 2004 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

An extension of time to respond to the Office Action is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

Please amend the application as follows: